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# Public Works

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## CURRENTLY OUT FOR BID

- On May 14, at 10:00am, the 2013 Motor Fuel Tax Materials bids will be opened at City Hall.
- Copies of bidding documents are available for pick-up. There will be a \$10 fee for picked up documents.
- Free documents are available electronically.

Joe Gillespie  
Director

Mike Lengermann  
Supervisor St. & A

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Supervisor W&S

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Supervisor WRF

Mike Buss  
Supervisor WTP

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Resident Engineer

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## Troxler Widening Update

The contractor has begun widening on the north side of Troxler. Despite heavy rain this week we anticipate the contractor will finish widening the north side next week. Widening consists of 4' of 8" pavement and a 6" high curb and gutter. Once this is complete the contractor will move widening operations to the south side of the roadway.



## 2013—Earth Day, Arbor Day, and Tree City USA



Monday is the 43rd Earth Day celebration. On April 22, 1970, Gaylord Nelson, a United States Senator, founded the first Earth Day in an attempt to bring about a better understanding of the affect we have on our planet, and calling us to take action to make positive environmental changes in our community. The first Earth Day was attended by 20 million Americans nationwide.

Mayor Michaelis has designated Friday, April 26th as Arbor Day in Highland. The Highland Tree Commission will host an celebration at the Highland Regional Arboretum in Silver Lake Park on Thursday, April 25th. The program will begin at 3:30p.m. The public is invited.

The National Arbor Day Foundation has recognized the City of Highland as a Tree City USA for the 24th year in a row. This was also the 12th consecutive year that a Growth Award was presented to the city in recognition of the additional effort exhibited to improved our urban forest.